UNION COLLEGE'S ARGUMENT FOR RE-OPENING THE OLD LITIGATION.

THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ACT REGARDING CHARITABLE BEQUESTS, AND THE VALIDITY OF THE RELEASES GIVEN BY THE NEXT

OF KIN ATTACKED-A RETRIAL OF THE WHOLE CASE POSSIBLE.

The prospect of further extended litigation in the celebrated Fayerweather will case was referred to in yesterday's Tribune. Henry Van Ness Philip, on behalf of Union College, has given notice of a metion to be made on March 15 before the Court of Appeals for a reargument of the case. The contentions underlying the motion are divided into three parts. The first of these has reference to the paying of the costs of the appeals out of the estate. remainder of the brief is devoted principally to attacking the decision of the court, which has reversed the construction of the law in this State lating to wills, whereby a testator is prohibited from devising more than one-half of his estate to

any charitable society or corporation.

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It is upon this overturning of the hitherto accepted construction of the law that Union College bases its motion to reopen the case. "We subases its motion to reopen the case." We subases its motion to reopen the case. "We subases its motion to reopen the case." We subases its motion to reopen the case. "We subases its motion to reopen the case." We subases its motion to reopen the case. "We subases its motion to reopen to the set tend in the permitted, under any circumstances—not with the consent of everybody—to leave the charities the exaggerated notions which prevail during the last hours of life, and to check the unfortunate propensity to acquire fame as a religious devotee propensity to acqui

WALL STREET AND EXCHANGES.

The withdrawais of imported goods from bonded warehouses, in anticipation of tariff changes, con-tinue on a large scale. So far this week the withdrawals have averaged 600 lots a day. The average previously was about 400 lots a day. As has en stated, the duties at present rates on goods warshouses foot up \$20,000,000. The large im-ters have for several days been large borrowers the banks. They want money to pay duties The total of the loans obtained within a week is One loan of \$500,000 was secured about \$1,000,000. One loan of \$500,000 was secured about \$1,000,000. One loan of \$500,000 was secured yesterday. The total amount paid in duties at the yesterday was \$714,000 67, which was cust to the largest amount this year. Of this sum next to the largest amount this year. Of this sum that the largest amount this year. Of this sum that the largest amount this year. Of the sum that the largest amount this year. Of this sum that the largest amount this year. Of this sum that the largest amount this year. Of this sum that the largest amount this year. horawals. Applications were filed in the of the day for the withdrawal of 1,100 lots and of these applications 478 were The chief withdrawals were of largest single amount paid in duties was 1881.000, by Frederick Butterfield, Importers of dry-Receipts from customs at New-York on \$152,000. On Tuesday of this week hey were \$118,000, and on Wednesday they were Size on the control of the control o

f the order to be filed requiring the Railway to operate its own telegraph ef the Western Union Telegraph W. W. Fearons, general counsel for the Western Union Company, said yesterday: "The intention of the decision is to compel the Union Pacific to observe that part of its franchise which provides for its operating a telegraph line. There is no intention of discriminating for or against any is no intention of discriminating for or against an telegraph corporation. Exactly what will be done depends upon the wording of the order of the Court. That is not yet known. It is fair to presume, however, that the order will be made with reference to equity and common-sense. We own most of the wires and practically all the instruments and batteries on the Union Pacific line. It is scarcely probable that the Court will compel the Pasion Pacific to build an entirely independent systaton Pacific to build an entirely independent systaton Pacific to build an entirely independent systaton. is scarcely probable that the Union Pacific to build an entirely independent system. It is more likely that an arrangement will be made by which the Union Pacific will operate the lines, but will bandle such messages as may be delivered to it either by individuals or by other telegraph companies."

There is no cessation in the hostilities between the American Sugar Refining Company (Sugar Trust) and Arbuckle Bros. in the coffee trade. Yesterday Arbuckle Bros, reduced the price of their "Arlosa" brand one-half cent to 11½ cents, making their price the same as that of the "Lion" brand put up by the Woolson Spice Company, of Toledo, Ohlo, which concern is owned by the Sugar Trust. The price to jobbers is 1½ cents lower, or 10 cents a pound. When the Woolson Company ancents a pound When the Woolson Company announced its latest reduction it issued a circular to its customers, stating that in future the price of its customers, stating that in future the price of its considered coffee would depend entirely on the course of the market for green coffee. There have been several advances in refined sugar recently. Another advance is expected to-morrow. There is no cessation in the hostilities between

An authority in the spirits trade declares that a combination of the corn whiskey distilleries in Kentucky is not feasible, and, for that matter, next to impossible. It costs little to equip and operate a distillery. If all of the present distilleries should combine and accomplish the purposes of such combination—namely, the restriction of production and the strengthening of prices—they would simply make an opportunity for fresh competition. There is no denying that the whiskey trade is in poor chape. Before the increase in the tax in 1894 from 50 cents to \$1.10, enormous stocks were accumulated. Present stocks are equal to the demand for four years. Bankers who loaned extensively on the whiskey in store have from time to time called for the repayment of loans which forced sales and demoralized the market. Just now lenders are anxious to close out loans because of unsatisfactory market conditions. a distillery. If all of the present distilleries should

Many of the downtown bankers are urging the name of Maurice L. Muhleman for Assistant United States Treasurer at New-York to succeed Conrad N. Jordan, whose term expires April 15. Mr. Muhleman is now Deputy Assistant Treasurer. Mr. Jordan, it is said, would like a reappointment. He is a gold Democrat. Ellis H. Roberts, who held the place under Harrison and is now president of the Franklin National Bank, is reported to be a candidate.

The belated steamship Aurania had on board : good many securities which had been sold in this market. The shipments to this side following the fortnightly settlement now being made in London will doubtless be large. The selling, however, seems to have now ceased.

E. J. Mathews has taken the presidency of the American District Telegraph Company of Philadel-American District to the stock of the company has peine. A large block of the stock of the account of Mr. Mathews and John W. Mackay, the president of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company.

Collector Kilbreth had so far recovered from his mitack of grip that he was able to resume his duties at the Custom House yesterday. He is a candidate for reappointment under the McKinley Administra-tion. He is a gold Democrat.

The demand at the Sub-Treasury for small bills

for shipment to the interior seems to be increasing it reflects a growth in business activity.

There was an advance in New-York and Harlem Railroad stock of 10 points to 300 yesterday on sales of 410 shares.

CHARGED WITH ROBBING THE ADAMS.

Jacob Keefer, thirty-eight years old, of No. 40 West Thirtieth-st., was arraigned in Centre Street Court yesterday by Court Officer Patrick English, who arrested him at his home on a warrant in which he was charged with having stolen from the Adams Express Company, by which he was formerly employed. Jay C. Young, of No. 43 Lafayette Place, an agent of the company, was the complainant against him, and swore to the specific larceny of \$5%. Abraham Levy, who appeared as counsel for the prosecution, said that this was only one of a series of thefts, and that the total amount would reach several thousands of doll ics.

Keefer was discharged from the employ of the express company on January 25. It was then dis-covered, so the complainant elleges, that his ac-counts were short. In his complaint Mr. Young counts were short. In his complaint Mr. Young swears that on January 27 a number of sums of money were intrusted to Keefer, as clerk, to deposit in the American Exchange National Bank. On January 29 Keefer was discharged. Mr. Young swears that when he first found the defeit in Keefer's accounts, another clerk named Behrends A. Messer, of No. 177 Woodworth-ave. Yonkers, admitted to him that Keefer had told him that he was short in his accounts and expected trouble.

Keefer was held for trial.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

ALBEMARLE—Edward W. Bok, of Philadelphia, and James L. McLane, of Baltimore. BUCKING-HAM—John Russell Young, of Philadelphia: ex-Senator George B. Sloan, of Oswego, and John R. Walsh, of Chicago. CAMBRIDGE—Prince Wrede, of the Austrian Legation at Washington. FIFTH AVENUE—Senator R. F. Pettigrew, of South Dakota: ex-Congressmen Paul J. Sorg, of Ohio, and William Whiting, of Massachusetts, and State Engineer Campbell W. Adams, of Utica. GILSEY—William A. Sutherland, of Rochester. HOFFMAN—Norman E. Mack, of Buffalo. HOLLAND—The Rev. Dr. Alexander Mackay-Smith, of Washington, D. C., and Samuel Hoar, of Boston. MURRAY HILL—Ex-Congressman Carlos French and Clinton B. Davis, of Connecticut. NORMANDIE—Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Francis and Mrs. Frank S. Black, of Troy. PLAZA—Senator Frank J. Cannon, of Utah, and ex-Senator F. T. Dubois, of Idaho. WALDORF—Charles G. Dawes, of Illinois, and John B. Garrett, of Philadelphia. PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Mass-meeting of Greeks, Chickering Hall, 8 p. m Police Board meeting.

Review of 69th Regiment and presentation of nedals, armory, 8:20 p. m.

Patria Club, Waldorf Hotel, evening.
Genealogical and Biographical Society, No. 226
West Fifty-eighth-st., 8:30 p. m.
Young Elks' Variety Combination ball, Central
Opera House, evening. Daughters of Lafayette Post No. 235, Central Park West, 3 p. m.

James G. Blaine Club, No. 325 East Tenth-st., 8 Kingsbridge Improvement Association, Parson's Hall, 8 p. m.

Theosophical meeting, No. 607 East Fourteenth-st., 8:15 p. m. Annual reunion of Colby Alumni, St. Denis Hotel,

NEW-YORK CITY.

"M. E. W."-Address the Sca Gate Land Company, Norton's Point, Brooklyn, for the informaon you desire.

The Chamber of Commerce had a special meetng yesterday to re-elect Captain William B. Hiln to the office of Commissioner of Pilots, term of office having expired. There was no other

Everett P. Wheeler has resigned the office of chairman of the New-York Civil Service Reform Association, which he has held for sixteen years stating that he cannot give sufficient time to the duties of the place. At the regular meeting of the Dock Board yes-

terday President O'Brien offered a resolution which was adopted, instructing the engineer of the Board to begin the work of extending the bulkhead line on the North River front between Twenty-third and Eighty-first sts. Secretary Terry was also instructed to inform all tenants of city property in West-st., between Twelfth and Gansevoort to vacate the premises they now occupy by May 1, and to advertise the sale of vacant build ings in that territory by public auction.

The Secretary of the Interior, Cornellus N. Bliss, called to see the Mayor yesterday, and was invited to lunch with the latter. The bill of fare was

Charles G. Dawes, the Republican Committee man from Illinois, who is likely to be Controller of the Curency in the McKinley Administration, called on several New-York bank presidents yesterday.

Justice Beach, in the Supreme Court, has granted an order to serve by publication the summons and omplaint in an action for absolute divorce brought by Mrs. Estelle G. Woods against William G. Woods, vice-president and general manager of the Bradt & Woods Manufacturing Company, of Worcester, Mass.

PEACE IN THE BUILDING TRADE.

THE TROUBLE BETWEEN THE MACHINISTS AND ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS AD-JUSTED-A BIG STRIKE AVERTED.

The trouble between the Elevator Constructors Union and the International Association of Machinists is now being adjusted, and it is thought that a satisfactory settlement will be reached and all danger of a big strike of the building trades

ors sent for the members of the committee of the machinists with whom they had held a conference on Wednesday night, and told them that they had reconsidered their reply to the demands of the machinists, and had decided to grant them. The principal features of the settlement are that the elevator constructors will hereafter have charge of most of the outside work on the elevators and the machinists will control most of the work in the shops. The machinists will also no longer have to pay \$10 a man a month into the treasury of the Elevator Constructors' Union. A joint committee of two from each organization will be appointed to draw up an agreement which all the large manufacturers of elevators will be asked to sign. The agreement will be presented next week to the following firms: Otis Brothers & Co., McAdams & Cartwright, the Reedy Elevator Company, the Graves Elevator Company and the Strague Electrical Elevator Company, of this city, and the Moore & Williams Company, of Philadelphia.

George R. Warner, the delegate of the International Association of Machinists, said vesterday that he thought that the elevator companies would sign the agreement, and that peace would once more reign where serious trouble was feared. It is thought that the Elevator Constructors' Union will once more have a representative in the Board of Walking Delegates, and that the chances of frietion occurring between the union and others in the building trades will be greatly lessened in future. the shops. The machinists will also no longer hav-

MARSHALL P. WILDER IN LITIGATION.

YET HE PAILS TO SEE THE HUMOR OF THE LAW-A PLAINTIVE PLEA BY HIS COUNSEL.

Marshall P. Wilder, the humorist, has finally got himself involved in litigation for the first time in his life, and, while he usually sees the funny side of nearly everything, yet, according to his lawyer, William R. Wilder, he fails to see anything funny in this lawsuit. It appears that the humorist held twenty shares of stock in the Dr. Hercules Sanche Company, and, according to the papers, surrendered this stock to Dr. Sanche on receiving from him a promissory note for \$1,000. Sanche at this time was a resident of Michigan, and when payment on the note was refused Mr. Wilder brought suit in Michigan to enforce payment. He also attached a deposit of \$1,600 which Dr. Sanche had in the Union National Bank of Detroit. Dr. Sanche brought an action here some time ago against Ma Wilder to compel him to surrender the note and take back the stock, which Sanche says is worth-

Yesterday counsel for Dr. Sanche moved in the Yesterday counsel for Dr. Sanche moved in the Supreme Court, before Justice Lawrence, for leave to discontinue the action on the payment of the discontinue the action, \$25. William R. Wilder month's vacation.

legal costs of the action, \$25. William R. Wilder opposed the motion.

"My client is a humorist," said Mr. Wilder, "and I must acknowledge a sense of humor myself, but I fall to see where the humor comes in if this plaintiff is allowed to withdraw a suit involving \$1.00 on the payment of \$25.

"Perhaps the other side sees the humor of it," temarked Justice Lawrence.

"This is the first time my client has been involved in a lawsuit," continued the lawyer, "and owing to the worry and excitement, the merry hue of his resolution has been sicklied o'er with the pale cast of legal thought, so that he is no longer able to contribute so spontaneously to the gayety of nations and increase our fund of innocent merriment. We should prefer to nave this case tried and disposed of and thus be relieved of an incubus."

cubus."
"I'll take the papers," said Justice Lawrence, and he reserved his decision.

NEW HEALTH METHODS FOR SCHOOLS. The Health Board has adopted a new rule rewhich it will put in force from now on. By its adoption the Board hopes to be able to keep in school three-fourths of the children who are kept away from school on account of contagious diseases. The old rule has been to exclude from school all children living on a floor where there is

a case of diphtheria, measles or other contagious

disease to which school children are so much sub-

"We have concluded," said Dr. Charles S. Beneto isolate more cases. This can be done at home "to isolate more cases. This can be done at home by putting the patient in a room where he will not come in contact with other members of the family more than is absolutely necessary. If we find that a child cannot be so isolated we will insist that it be taken to the Willard Parker Hospital. With the patient isolated, we will exclude from school only the other children of the family to which the patient belongs. All other children living on the floor we think can go to school safely. Before the Board decided to try this the plan was placed before the Board of Education, which fully approved it.

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"Furthermore, we purpose in the future to have inspectors visit contagious disease child patients daily, so that they can see that the case is properly cared for and so that as soon as all danger is over the child and other children of the family may be admitted to school again."

Are you thinking of purchasing a Plane, or a Plane Stool? If so, do not fail to consult the little advertisements in the narrow columns. Some good barrains may be found thera.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

VONKERS

Mrs. C. L. Blauvelt, of the Yonkers College of Music, will give a song recital this evening at the First Reformed Church, in South Broadway. She will have the assistance of Miss Louise Gunning, soprano; Miss Georgie Moore, planist; Albert H. Spear, tenor, and Frank Steadman, violinist. lections from Nicolat Mascagni, Weber, Raff, Neidlinger, Joh. Svendsen and Godard will be given. Admission is by card, and an offering will be asked

Admission is by card, and an offering will be asked for the church treasury.

A number of young men connected with St. Peter's Church, Ludlow, have organized themselves into an association to be known as St. Peter's Young Men's Catholic Association. At a recent meeting the officers chosen were Edward Nugent, president; Peter Brady, vice-president; Daniel J. Jordan, recording secretary; Thomas Pardy, corresponding secretary; James Ahearn, treasurer, and Timothy Donavin, sergeant-at-arms. The organization starts off with a membership of forty-one, and meetings are held every Thursday evening in cosey rooms which have been fitted up for them.

Last night the course of lectures under the auspices of the Yonkers Society for University Extension, on "The Art of Listening to Music" was brought to a close in the hall of the Woman's Institute, in Palisade-ave, before a large audience. The lectures have been of great interest, and have heen delivered by Edgar Stillman Kelley. The topic of the closing lecture was "The Mathematics of Music."

Francis Larkin, the well-known lawyer of Sing

Music."
Francis Larkin, the well-known lawyer of Sing Sing, was slightly injured in this city this afternoon. He was running to catch a train on the Hudson Piyer Railroad, and fell at the Main-st, station. He dislocated his finger and received two fiesh wounds on the forehead. Policeman Thomas H. May accompanied Mr. Larkin to St. Joseph's Hospital. After the injuries were dressed, he took a later train for home. Mr. Larkin is seventy-seven years old.

MAMARONECK.

Mrs. Sophia Harriott, one of the oldest and bestknown characters along the Sound, died at her home in Mamaroneck yesterday morning. Mrs. Harriott was ninety-two years old. She was born in Germany, and spent her earlier life in work in the fields. In 1836 she came to New-York, making the fields. In 1826 she came to New-York, making the trip on the ship Charlotte. Mrs. Harriott had lived in Grove-st. Mamaroneck, for fifty years. It is related of her that she helped her husband to hulld the house in which she lived. After his death, a few years ago, she continued to cultivate a large farm, doing the planting and harvesting herself, even cutting the wood and driving the horses. She leaves seven grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren. W. R. Daymon, a photographer in Mamaroneck, is one of the former.

WHITE PLAINS.

In the County Court before Judge Smith Lent vesterday Augustus De Wier was sentenced to the Elmira Reformatory and Walter Johnson to the State Prison at Sing Sing for five years for burg-lary in the third degree, jointly committed at Mount Vernon, December 20, 1896. Lewis Raven and Frank Raven, two boys, whose parents live in Kensico, were tried on a charge of grand larceny in having stolen a valuable dog from Mrs. Arabella Hyatt, a neighbor, in March, 1896. The testimony was unsatisfactory, and Judge Lent dismissed the case and ordered the discharge of the boys. Immediately after the case was dismissed Mrs. John Raven, the mother of the boys, and Mrs. John Raven, the mother of the boys, and Mrs. Hyatt, the complainant, got into a quarrel that resulted in Mrs. Raven slapping Mrs. Hyatt in the face while they stood in the courtroom, and another encounter took place in the corridor outside. Judge Lent had both women brought before him and they were fined \$10 each. In the encounter in the corridor the sons of the two women also got into a fight that was stopped by the court officers.

A concert by the Amphion Mandolin and Vocal Quartet, of New-York City, will be given at the Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church Thursday evening, March 25. Recitations by Miss Edith Norton will form a part of the programme.

The annual election of the Fire Department of this village will be held on the first Tuesday in April. Assistant Chief F. T. Doll has been nominated by Hope Engine Company for Chief Engineer, to succeed John T. Rehill, the present incumbent, who declines renomination. Raven, two boys, whose parents live in Kensico,

TARRYTOWN. At the meeting of the Republican Committee of Vacancies on Wednesday evening Joseph Blouis and Peter Haller were cominated for trustees in place of Charles Gross and Albert Husted, resigned The Citizens' Committee nominated William J.
Odeli for trustee in the place of Marshall L. Bacon,
resigned, and Captain Samuel Requa for Water
Commissioner, in the place of Louis Richter, resterned

Another surprise in the election contest was made yesterday by the filing of a protest by Frank V. Millard, chairman of the Republican County Committee, with the viliage clerk, Warren C. Brown, against the printing of the names of Townsend V. Roe and George Merritt on the Democratic ticket. Ree and Merritt were nominated for trustees on the citzens' ticket, but were afterward placed on the Democratic ticket to fill vacancies caused by the resignations of Albert Husted and Charles Gross.

SING SING.

The two factions of the Democratic party of this town have agreed to forget past differences and combine for the common good of the party On Wednesday night the Larkin and Nelson leaders met and agreed upon terms of peace, and the As this feud in the Democratic party of the has existed with more or less bitterness for nearly a quarter of a century, it is a question how long the present peace will be maintained. Just now the party is in a had condition. The county, State and National offices are all in the hands of the Republicans, and so the Democrats have nothing to fight about among themselves, which gives the main opportunity to combine and fight the common enemy. It is to be regretted, however, that just as their opponents are harmonizing the Republicans of the town should find it necessary to split and organize opposition town committees and place two tickets in the field for town offices, School Commissioner J. G. Miller has appointed Edgar F. Wheeler a member of the Doard of Education of this village in place of President Thomas E. Hapgood, deceased. has existed with more or less bitterness for nearly

NORTH TARRYTOWN.

Miss Mary Cushing died at her home, in Elm-st. on Wednesday. She was fifty-five years old. The funeral will take place this morning in St. Teresa's Roman Catholic Church, the pastor, the Rev. Eugene McKenna, officiating. Burial will be in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery.

The following delegates were elected to the Republican Town Convention, to be held at Union-ville, to-morrow, at the caucuses on Wednesday evening: First District-William J. Given, Leander Jacobs and Morris Munch; Second District-Mil-hard De Witt, Alfred Sears and James Donahoe; Third District-Irving De Revere, Henry Gross and James E. Chrystie. James F. Chrystle.

Mrs. Catherine Cashman, seventy-one years old, lied in Guttenburg, N. J., on Wednesday. She was an old resident of this village. The funeral will be held at St. Teresa's Church this moraling. Burial will be in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery.

IRVINGTON.

announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Clara Wagner, the daughter of Mr. and the first of the week. There were about fifty sold Mrs. Gustav Wagner, of Rutherford, N. J., to last evening, bringing about \$6,600. Among those Frank Morrell, Editor and publisher of "The Irv The wedding will take place ington Gazette." at the home of the bride's parents on Tuesday,

DOBBS FERRY.

The second in a series of lectures in the interest of local option was held in Livingston Hall last evening, under the auspices of the Local Tempernce organization. The speaker of the evening was the Rev. Dr. Allison, of Yonkers. Music wafurnished by the choirs of the Summerfield Methodist Episcopal Church and the Presbyterian Church A musical was given by the students of Miss A musical was given by the students of Miss Masters's school last evening. It was a pleasant social affair.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Ashton will be conducted privately at the home of her daughter. Mrs. Frederick Allis, in Hudson Terrace, to-morrow afternoon.

Two deaths occurred in the Hull family in Ardsley Heights within an hour on Wednesday. Soon after the death of Martin Luther Hull from cor sumption, his mother, Mrs. Sarah M. Hull, died from pneumonia. She was sixty-nine years old. A double funeral will take place to-day, the Rev. A E. Barnett, pastor of the Ardsley Methodist Episcopal Church, officiating. The burial will be in Mount Hope Cemetery.

A FLAG PRESENTED TO THE MAYOR.

Man / interesting features marked a meeting of the Alpha Chapter of the Patriotic League held last night in the Hotel Mariborough. Particularly atgirl pupils of the Rhinelander Industrial School of the course of training that is given at that institu-tion. Led by Miss Margaret P. Pascal, the principal of the school, the children showed a good knowledge of the political history of the country, of the Constitution, the principles of a republican government, and, moreover, gave an enlightened description of the purposes and working methods of pality. Another interesting feature was the present pality. Another interesting feature was the presentation of an American flag to Mayor Strong by the pupils of the Khinelander School. Historic value attached to the flag, inasmuch as it was fixed to a stick made from a fence rail that was said to have been split by Abraham Lincoln. A similar flag was to have been given to Abram S. Hewitt, the president of the chapter, but he was unable to be present because of indisposition, and it was received on his behalf by the fley John Lewis Clark, scretary of the chapter. The presentations were made by Nel-



This Spring's style in overcoats is more than welcome one.

For the coat is so short, it leaves so much of the suit uncovered, that a new suit is as necessary as a new overcoat-otherwise too great a con-

Spring suits and overcoats are both ready.

Serge-lined overcoats \$12 to \$20; silk-lined, \$20 to \$30 ome long ones among them.

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Prince and Broadway. Warren and Broadway. Thirty-second and Broadway.

lle Sherman, seven years old, and Peter Kief, te years old. At the meeting which followed the chai was taken by Mayor Strong, who came from the arbitration meeting in Cooper Union, Addresse were made by the Rev. Dr. Josiah Strong, Colone Waring and La Salle A. Maynard.

AIMEE SMITH LAID AT REST.

NO WORD FROM THE MISSING EX-SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT-HIS WIFE BREAKS DOWN AND WEEPS.

The funeral of Aimee Smith, who died in Belle vue Hospital after being taken from the Hotel Victor on Monday afternoon, was held last night at her parents' flome, in State-st., next to the Asbury Church. The Rev. Morris T. Gibbs, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. C. R. Kuebler, of the First Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. W. S. McCowan, of Staten Island, who was formerly pastor of the Hackensack Methodist Church. Music was furnished by the choir of the church. The coffin was covered with flowers. The church. The coffin was covered with flowers. The burial will be to-day in the Hackensack Cemetery. Nelson Weeks, the former superintendent of the Asbury Church Sunday-school, who disappeared a few hours after the girl died, has not yet been heard from. Mrs. Weeks has been expecting to hear from her husband, and when no letter came yesterday she broke down and wept for a long time. She has aged greatly under the strain, and her friends are considering the advisability of taking her away from Hackensack for a time.

1. P. Finck, the Pearl-st. manufacturer who employed Weeks, also said yesterday that he had not heard from the missing man.

PICKETT WANTS TO KEEP "DER CHAIL

THE EX-POLICE CAPTAIN TAKES THE EXAMINA

TION FOR WARDEN-THIRTEEN APPLICANTS. Thirteen men were examined yesterday for Wat dates are retired policemen, one is a clerk, and most of the others have been prison keepers. candidates were examined physically and with reference to experience, letter-writing, arithmetic and The salary of the place is \$2,000 a year, and requires a \$25,000 bond. One of the men examined was ex-Police Captain

Patrick H. Pickett, who was retired on a pension in June last. The law says that a person drawing a pension from the city may not hold another city a pension from the city may not hold another city office, but in this case the county, not the city, pays the Warden.

The examination started with twelve applicants, but after awhile another strayed in and made up the unlucky thirteen. Nobody would tell who this man was. The employes of the Civil Service Commission say that about eight times out of ten the man who is numbered thirteen in the order of examination gets the place. This is a fact, they say, they have watched with great curiosity.

A WOMAN CATCHES TWO BURGLARS. Mrs. Isabelle Irwin, a middle-aged woman, of No 644 Ninth-ave., had two burglars arraigned in Yorkwille Court late vesterday afternoon. She had found the men in her apartment, and, with a little

twenty-five years old, of No. 430 West Fifty-thirdst., and Frank Mahon, twenty-two years old, of No. 348 East Thirty-third-st. The former said he was an engraver, and the latter, who was fairly well dressed, called himself a laborer. They were held in \$1,000 bail each for trial.

Mrs. Irwin's apartment is a flat of nine rooms Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon she she returned, about ten minutes later, sh found Conlin and Mahon in the room, notwithstanding that she had left the door locked. She aught hold of both men and began calling for assistance. As she did so Conlin struck her a heavy blow on the breast, and, dashing by her, got out into the hall. Mrs. Irwin followed him, after out into the hall. Mrs. Irwin followed him, after locking the door upon Mahon, who seemed too startled to attempt at first to escape. Her cries alarmed several men in the house, who guarded the doors of her flat while she pursued Conlin. She followed Conlin on the street for about a block, and had just caught up with and was about to seize him when Detective Fox, of the Forty-seventh-st, station, who had heard her shouts, rushed up and arrested him. Fox took Conlin back to Mrs. Irwin's apartment, where he also arrested Mahon, who was still a prisoner in the flat.

Detective Fox found two skeleton keys in Contin's possession, one of which fitted the door of the room in which the men were found.

MODERN PAINTINGS UNDER THE HAMMER. A sale of modern European paintings was held at No. 232 Fifth-ave. The paintings were part of a collection owned by an art connoisseur of this city, who is disposing of some 150 pictures, which have been on exhibition at Kreiser's auction rooms since which went for the largest prices were "A Reverie," by Alfred Stevens, \$3.0; "The Ambrosein Library in Milan," by L. Burlando, \$150; "Observing brary in Milan," by L. Burlando, \$50; "Observing the Enemy," by Berne-Bellecour, \$280; "Preparing for the Dance," by A. Zoppi, \$290; "The Last Effort," by Georges Haquette, \$450; "The Christening," by P. Massani, \$250; "Rally of the First Zouaves," by W. C. Beauquesne, \$450; "I Love You," by O. Filtz, \$335; "The Last Vintage," by A. Tamburin, \$405, "Preparing for a Walk," by A. Piot, \$600, and "The Old Love Revived," by E. Zampighl, \$240.

The sale will be continued this evening and tomorrow afternoon.

OFFICERS OF THE SOUTHERN SOCIETY. The Southern Society has elected the following officers for the coming year: President Hugh S. Thempson; vice-president, Dr. William M. Polk; secretary, Percy S. Mallett; treasurer, Gastor Hardy; members of the Executive Committee-Class of 1826, Augustus Van Wyck, Howard R. Bayne, Dr. R. C. M. Page and Marion J. Verdery; to fill vacancy in class of 1897, Edward Owen; chaplain, the Rev. Dr. John W. Brown.

STATEN ISLAND HAPPENINGS.

Ex-Supervisor Julius Credo, of Middletown, was stricken with paralysis on Wednesday, and is serious condition. The Port Richmond Board of Health has elected

H. E. Buell, the Republican leader of Northfield, president, and Dr. Frederick T. Barber health The Richmond County Police bill yesterday passed

The Richmond County Police bill yesterday passed the Assembly, and now goes to Governor Black for his signature. The Republicans of the county expect that he will sign it at once and thus take the control of the Department from the Democrats. The Republicans of the town of Southfield will hold a session of the Town Committee on Monday night. The third ticket in the town election has made trouble, and charges may be brought against some of the prominent members of the committee. A sociable will be held in the Reformed Chapel, Mariners Harbor, on Thursday evening, March 25. Captain Jacob La Forge, one of the oldest residents of Tompkinsville, died at his home in Monroe-ave., on Wednesday. He was seventy-three years old. roe-ave, on Wednesday. He was seventy-three years old.
The fifth organ recital, given in the Randall Memorial Church yesterday afternoon, was largely attended. The soloipt was Henry T. Burleigh.

STAYTON'S RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

Albany, March 11.—The resignation of Lieutenant William H. Stayton, of the 1st Naval Battalion of New-York, growing out of which considerable talk of a disagreement in that command has been heard, was accepted by Adjutant-General Tillinghast to-day. Licutenant Stayton formerly served in the United States Marine Corps.

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REPORTED BILL AGAINST GEORGE W. HOLT FOR AIDING INCENDIARIES TO ESCAPE.

The Grand Jury yesterday took up the investigacused of arson have been aided to escape from the jurisdiction of the New-York authorities. These alleged firebugs were said to have been connected with the big gang of incendiaries who have started a number of fires in this city in the last five or six cears. Some of the gang, among others Adolph Hirschkopf, Morris Schoenholz and Louis Gordon are now in prison serving sentences. Three of the alleged members of the gang got out of town be fore they could be arrested. It was said that these nen were furnished with information of the planof the authorities, so that when they were about to be arrested they suddenly left town for parts unknown. The police have been keeping up the

Assistant District-Attorney Vernon M. Davis and

search for them since.

Assistant District-Attorney Vernon M. Davis and Samuel Milch, the insurance adjuster, were before the Grand Jury yesterday, and gave evidence which is said to have led to the indictment of a well-known fire insurance adjuster for adding the alleged firebugs to escape. It was reported that this man was George W. Holt, of Brooklyn. Nothing positive could be learned as to the finding of the indictment. This was probably owing to the usual custom of not acknowledging that an indictment has been found until the accused person has been arrested.

It was said that some of the alleged incendiaries who escaped the authorities were Joseph L. Harris, of Harris & Seide. No. If West Fourteenth-st, the fire insurance adjuster that helped him collect \$194,000 insurance money, and Henry Cohen, the shirt manufacturer, of White-st.

It was reported that the strongest evidence before the Grand Jury was that given by Samuel Milch, who, it is reported, produced proof that Helt aided him (Milch) to evade arrest. Milch at one time was accused of connection with the firebugs. The indictment against him has been dismissed, and he has been aiding the District-Attorney in prosecuting the firebugs. When arrests in the incendiary fires first began to be made Milch disappeared, and he charges that Holt aided him. Holt is under indictment for arson in this city and Brooklyn. He is out under \$10,000 bail.

A VALUABLE STATISTICAL ANNUAL. "The Commercial Year Book" for 1897 has just nercial Bulletin." It is one-half larger than its predecessor, and aims to be the most complete statistical annual published. One hundred and statistical annual published. One hundred and thirty-four octavo pages are devoted to the popula-tions, agriculture, industries, imports and exports, finances, fiscal affairs, transportation, telegraphs, banking and monetary systems of fifty-two foreign States and colonies. There are 45 pages about do-mestic industry, manufactures, mining, banking and currency, railroads, shipping, markets, tariff, prices, labor and wages, immigration, population, etc.

NEW BUILDINGS AT BELLEVUE.

Workmen were busy yesterday breaking ground or three new buildings at Bellevue Hospital. They will include an crysipelas pavilion and an isolated new boile: and laundry house. The headquarters of the Charities Department, it is said, will be removed from the old building at Third-ave, and Eleventh-at, to a new building that will be begun soon at the foot of East Twenty-sixth-st.

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ermanic hicago City Swansea, Feb 26. . . . Galvesten, March 6 . . Jacksenville, March 9.

SATURDAY, MARCH 13. Southampton, March 6.
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St Lucia, March 6.
St Domingo, March 6.
Savannah, March 10... Atl-Trans SUNDAY, MARCH 14. Havre, March 6. French Gibraltar, Feb 27. Booth Hamburg, Feb 28. Union St Lavia, March 6. Lamport & Hold Jacksonville, March 11. Clyde

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SHIPPING NEWS. ARRIVED. Steamer Douro (8r), Huby, Hull February 20, with me to Sanderson & Son. Arrived at the Har at 7:15 pm. Steamer Kensinston (8r), Roberts, Antwep February 27, with mise and 42 cabin passengers to Internation Navigation (5o. Arrived at the Bor at 6:38 nm. Steamer Fulda (6cr), Petermann, Genoa February 2 Naples 27, and Gibraltar March 2, with mise 35 cab and 431 steerage passengers to Oelricha & Co. Arrived at the light at 2:52 a m. Steamer Ymotant, Reynolds, Vera Cruz February 2 Tuppan 21, Tampio March 2, Campache 5, France 1 and Havana 7, with mise and 22 passengers to James Ward & Co. Arrived at the Har at 6:50 a m. Scoamer Romains cheefed at the Har at 6:50 a m. Scoamer Romains cheefed at the Har at 6:50 a m. Steamer Alps (8r), Long, Hallfax March 8, with mise at the Pim, Porwood & Kellock, Arrived at the Bar at 2 m.

to Pim, Forwood & Kenoos, and Steamer Guyandotte, Davis, Newport News and National With make and passengers to Old Dominion So Ca. Steamer El Paso, Gardner, New-Orients, with miss J T Van Sickle.

Steamer City of Augusta, Daggett, Savannah, with miss and passengers to Ocean So Co. Steamer Alsenborn, Charles, Baltimore, with miss H C Foster.

Sandy Hook, N J, March H, 9:30 p m—Wind suthers light breeze; clear; hazy outside.

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Steamer H M Whitrey, Hallett, Boston-H P Dimes Steamer Norwegian (Br), Vipond, Glasgew-Aud Steamer Norwegian 1917, Hallwin & Co. Steamer La Grande Duchesse, Hanlon, Savanne Stamer La Grande Duchesse, Hansel. Stamer La Grande Duchesse, Hansel. Steamer Holstein Glen, Hoppe, Cape Haytien, Gesim Steamer Holstein, Glen, Hoppe, Cape Haytien, Gesim Steamer Santiago, Leighton, Nassau, St. Jago, Cieff Kon, etc.—J F Ward & John Steamer Newton (Bri, Bupe, Manchester, Englast Steamer Newton (Bri, Bupe, Manchester, Englaster) Busk & Jevons. Steamer Lumen (Er), Nicholson, Dover, England-Steamer Alleghany (Br), Law, Port au Prince Kip n. etc.—Pim. Forward & Kelleck. Steamer Cottage City, Bennett, Portland, Mc—Hors Steamer Cottage Cir.
Hall. Steamer Jamestown, Hulphers, Norfolk and New News Old Dominion Ss Co.
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eron & Co.

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PORRIGN PORTS.

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Steamer Dresden (Gr), Gibbs, from New-York Xirol.

Steamer Large Bay (Br), Medit-gor, from Mediterranea for New-York, passed Gibraitar March II.

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